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## MEETING AGENDA

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### Wednesday:

- 1:00 PM Introductions and project review - *Bob Bea*
- 1:30 TOPCAT Enhancements I (Earthquake Analyses) - *Jim Stear*
- 2:30 Break
- 2:45 TOPCAT Enhancements II (Modification in spatial loading effects, diagonal loading analysis, long-term accumulative reliability, deck element analysis) - *Zhaohui Jin*
- 4:30 Discussions
- 5:00 PM Adjourn

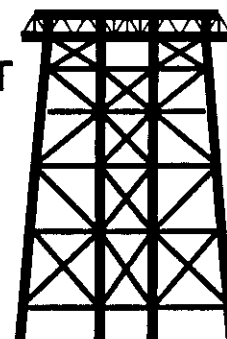
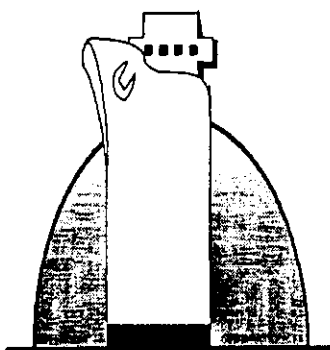
### Thursday

- 8:00 AM Review issues from previous day - *Bob Bea*
- 8:30 Verification of wave force on deck modules - *Rune Iverson*
- 9:30 Verification of Cnoidal wave kinematics & forces Modules -  
*Rune Iverson*
- 10:30 Break
- 10:45 TOPCAT Licensing Status: *Dave Hall*
- 11:00 TOPCAT Future Work: Spring 99 work plan – *Bob Bea, Jim Stear, Zhaohui Jin*
- 11:30 Discussions
- 12:00 Adjourn

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## MARINE TECHNOLOGY & MANAGEMENT GROUP

### INDUSTRY & GOVERNMENT AGENCIES SPONSORED RESEARCH PROJECTS SUMMARIES



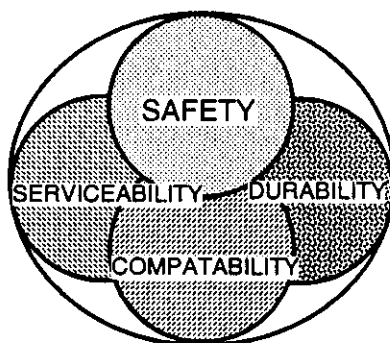
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***Goal: Develop engineering and management technology that will help improve  
the QUALITY (safety, serviceability, durability, compatibility - economy) of  
marine systems***

## QUALITY



## RESEARCH AREAS

***Human & Organization Factors  
Ships & Floating Systems  
Platforms & Pipelines***

<b>Human and Organization Factors</b>	<b>Researcher</b>	<b>Goals and Objectives</b>
Human & organization factors in diving operations	Lt. Timothy Liberatore	Promote dive safety through identification, analysis, and management of human and organization factors in diving operations.
Human & organization factors in quality of offshore platforms	Lt. Richard Lawson	Develop and apply a computer program to facilitate analyses of human and organizational factors in the life-cycle quality performance of offshore platforms
Safety Management Assessments in Ship Operations: Human and Organizational Factors	Lt. Paul Szwed Lt. Jason Tama	Develop, verify, and test a protocol and computer program to help perform ship operations Safety Management Assessments (ISM, International Safety Management, Code) with a focus on Human and Organizational Factors
Human and Organizational Factors in Reliability of Marine Systems	Bob Bea	Develop and assist in implementation of proactive, reactive, and real-time measures in design engineering of marine systems to improve human and organizational factors in the life-cycle reliability of these systems

<b>Ships, Platforms, Pipelines</b>	<b>Researcher</b>	<b>Goals and Objectives</b>
Design and construction of long-life marine composite structures: fatigue	Paul Miller	Develop and test panels of marine composites subjected to repeated loadings in submerged conditions. Develop and verify an analytical procedure to allow the evaluation of the long-term performance characteristics of marine composite panels.
Optimal strategies for life cycle IMR (Inspections, Maintenance, Repair) programs for marine systems	Assignment Pending	Develop procedures and strategies to optimize the inspection, maintenance, and repair of offshore platform structures and marine pipelines. The inspection strategies will address predictable damage (e.g. fatigue of critical structural details) and unpredictable damage (e.g. due to accidents and errors).
Ultimate Limit State Limit Equilibrium Analyses of template-type offshore platforms - ULSLEA Phases 4 and 5	Jim Stear, Zhaohui-Jin,	Continue development and verification of a simplified procedure to characterize the ultimate limit state loadings and capacities of offshore platforms and their reliabilities for extreme condition storms and earthquakes.
Performance of pile foundations subjected to earthquake excitations (Profs. Seed, Bray, Pestana)	Philip Meymand, Thomas Lok, Chris Hunt	Develop and verify analytical models to assess the performance characteristics of groups of piles supporting structures subjected to intense earthquake excitations. Perform shaking tests on model pile groups to provide test data to verify the analytical models.
Pipeline Integrity and Maintenance Information System - PIMPIS	Botond Farkis	Develop and verify an inspection and maintenance decision support system for submarine pipelines using a knowledge-based approach. PIMPIS will provide a means of embedding expert knowledge to help select options for pipeline inspections and maintenance.

<b>Ships, Platforms, Pipelines</b>	<b>Researcher</b>	<b>Goals and Objectives</b>
Platform, pipeline, and floating systems design and requalification criteria for the Bay of Campeche and offshore Tampico - Tuxpan	Dr. Tao Xu, Zhaohui-Jin	Develop and verify a general platform and pipeline design and reassessment - requalification system tailored to the unique environmental, operational, and economic characteristics of PEMEX operations in the Bay of Campeche and offshore Tampico and Tuxpan.
Pipeline design criteria for second trunkline North West Shelf Australia	Bob Bea	Develop risk based deformation - strain stability criteria for a 48-inch diameter gas pipeline offshore North West Shelf Australia
ISO earthquake guidelines for design and reassessment of offshore platforms	Bob Bea	Continue development of reliability based platform earthquake design and reassessment guidelines for the International Standards Organization.
Reliability based earthquake LRFD design guidelines for offshore Indonesia	Bob Bea	Develop oceanographic and earthquake platform load and resistance factor design guidelines for offshore Indonesia
Decommissioning and re-use of offshore platforms	James Wiseman	Evaluate and document rigs-to-reef alternatives for decommissioning platforms offshore California
Wave loadings on decks of offshore platforms - laboratory data verifications	Rune Iversen	Verify Modified API wave in deck force guidelines with results from laboratory tests
Simplified Analyses of Deep Water Floating Systems (SADWFS)	Assignments Pending	Develop, program and verify simplified analytical procedures to determine the environmental forces and force effects, element and system capacities, and reliabilities of TLPs, FPSO's, and Spars
Wave attenuation due to deformable seafloor conditions	Assignment Pending	Develop guidelines to characterize how interactions between surface waves and deformable sea floors result in changes in the wave amplitude and energy characteristics of the surface waves
Verification of shallow water wave kinematics and forces based on Cnoidal wave theory	Cory Clark	Verify shallow water wave kinematics based on Cnoidal wave theory with existing laboratory and field data. Verify shallow water wave forces on vertical cylinders based on Cnoidal wave theory kinematics and API wave force guidelines
Risk Assessment & Management based design and requalification criteria and guidelines for marine pipelines (with Dr. Xu, Prof. Bai, Dr. Mousselli, and Dr. Orisamolu)	Assignment Pending	Develop reliability based design and requalification criteria for marine pipelines installation and operating conditions; working stress and load and resistance factor formats; loss of containment, buckling, stability and strength for hydrodynamic loadings and moving sea floor soil loadings

## Current Publications

### 1997 - 1998

- Fatigue of Ship Critical Structural Details, *Journal of Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering*, Transactions of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Vol. 119, May, 96-107 (Dr. T. Xu, R. G. Bea).
- Fatigue of Cracked Ship Critical Structural Details: Cracked S-N Curves and Load Shedding, *International Journal of Offshore and Polar Engineering*, Vol. 8, No. 2, June (Dr. T. Xu, R. G. Bea).
- Towards Optimal Inspection Strategies for Fatigue and Corrosion Damage, 1997 Transactions of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, Jersey City, New Jersey (Dr. K. T. Ma, Dr. I. R. Orisamolu, R. T. Huang, and R. G. Bea).
- Siting and Evacuation Strategies for Mobile Drilling Units in Hurricanes, *Journal of Marine Structures*, Elsevier Science Ltd., Kidlington, Oxford, UK (Dr. J. Ying, R. G. Bea).
- Oceanographic and Reliability Characteristics of a Platform in the Mississippi River Delta, *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering*, American Society of Civil Engineers, Herndon, Virginia (R. G. Bea)
- A Reliability Based Screening Procedure for Platform Assessments and Requalifications, *Journal of Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering*, Transactions of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Vol. 120, No. 3, (R. G. Bea, Dr. M. Mortazavi).
- Hurricane Wave Conditions for Design and Requalification of Platforms in the Bay of Campeche, Mexico, Proceedings 1998 International OTRD Symposium Ocean Wave Kinematics, Dynamics and Loads on Structures, J. Zhang (Ed), American Society of Civil Engineers, Reston, Virginia (R. G. Bea, Dr. J. Suhayda, Z. Jin, and R. Ramos).
- Hurricane Wave Forces on the Decks of Offshore Platforms, Proceedings 1998 International OTRD Symposium Ocean Wave Kinematics, Dynamics and Loads on Structures, J. Zhang (Ed), American Society of Civil Engineers, Reston, Virginia (R. G. Bea, J. Stear, T. Xu, and R. Ramos).
- Simplified Strength-Level Earthquake Assessment of Jacket-Type Platforms, Proceedings 8th (1988) International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, Montreal, Canada, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineering, Golden, Colorado (J. Stear, R. G. Bea).
- Effects of Damage and Repairs on the Lateral Load Capacity of A Typical Template-Type Offshore Platform, Proceedings 8th (1988) International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, Montreal, Canada, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineering, Golden, Colorado (T. Aviguetero, R. G. Bea).
- Risk Based Hurricane and Earthquake Criteria for Design and Requalification of Platforms in the Bay of Campeche, Mexico, Proceedings Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering Conference OMAE '98, Safety and Reliability Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York, New York (R. G. Bea, R. Ramos, O. Valle, and V. Valdes).
- Risk Assessment & Management Based Guidelines for Design & Reassessment of Pipelines in the Bay of Campeche, Mexico, Proceedings Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering Conference OMAE '98, Safety and Reliability Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York, New York (R. G. Bea, R. Ramos, T. Hernandez, and O. Valle).
- Evaluation of the Reliability of Platform Pile Foundations in the Bay of Campeche, Mexico, Proceedings Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering Conference OMAE '98, Safety and Reliability Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York, New York (R. G. Bea, Z. Jin, C. Valle, and R. Ramos).
- Risk Based Requalification of the Monopod Platform, Cook Inlet, Alaska, Proceedings Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering Conference OMAE '98, Safety and Reliability Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York, New York (R. G. Bea, Dr. J. Ying, D. Hopper, and M. Craig).
- Safety Management Assessment System (SMAS) Part I: A Process for Identifying and Evaluating Human and Organization Factors in Operations of Offshore Platforms, Proceedings Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering Conference OMAE '98, Safety and Reliability Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York, New York (Dr. D. Hee, R. G. Bea, Dr. K. Roberts, and Dr. B. Williamson).

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- Safety Management Assessment System (SMAS) Part I: Field Test and Results, Proceedings Offshore Mechanics and Arctic Engineering Conference OMAE '98, Safety and Reliability Symposium, Lisbon, Portugal, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York, New York (Dr. D. Hee, R. G. Bea, Lt. Cmdr. Brant Pickrell, Dr. K. Roberts, and Dr. B. Williamson).**
- Non-Linear Dynamics of Caisson Well-Protectors During Hurricane Andrew, Report to U. S. Minerals Management Service, Herndon, Virginia, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, August (J. Wiseman, R. G. Bea).**
- Near Surface Wave Theory, Wave-in-Deck Forces, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown and Root International, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, August (Dr. T. Xu, R. G. Bea).**
- Reassessment of Tubular Joint Capacity, Uncertainty and Reliability, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown and Root International, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, August (Dr. T. Xu, R. G. Bea).**
- Analysis of Wave Attenuation in the Bay of Campeche, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown and Root International, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, August (Z. Jin, R. G. Bea).**
- Dynamic Response of a Single Pile to Lateral Loading, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown and Root International, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, August (Z. Jin, R. G. Bea).**
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- Risk Based Criteria for Design and Requalification of Pipelines and Risers in the Bay of Campeche (Part I), Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown and Root International, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, September (R. G. Bea).**
- Report #1 - Reliability Characteristics of the Pol A Compression Platform, Platform Structure & Foundation Performance Analyses, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown and Root International, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, October (R. G. Bea).**
- Report #2 - Reliability Characteristics of the Pol A Compression Platform, Platform Reassessment and Requalification Evaluations, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown and Root International, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, September (R. G. Bea).**
- Safety Management Assessment System (SMAS), Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, November (with Dr. D. Hee)**
- Risk Based Hurricane Criteria for Design of Floating and Subsea Systems in the Bay of Campeche, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown & Root International Inc., Marine Technology & Management Group, University of California, Berkeley, December (R. G. Bea).**
- Analysis of Hurricane Wave Decay Characteristics, Risk Based Criteria for Design & Requalification of Offshore Platforms in the North Region, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, and Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, Marine Technology & Management Group, University of California, Berkeley, December (Z. Jin, R. G. Bea).**
- Risk Based Life Cycle Fatigue Criteria, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown & Root International Inc., Marine Technology & Management Group, University of California, Berkeley, December (Dr. T. Xu, R. G. Bea).**
- Dynamic Lateral and Axial Loading Capacities of Piles in the Bay of Campeche, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown & Root International Inc., Marine Technology & Management Group, University of California, Berkeley, December (Z. Jin, R. G. Bea)**

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- Report #1A, Reliability Characteristics of the Pol A Compression Platform, Platform Ultimate Limit State Limit Equilibrium (ULSLEA) and Reliability Analyses, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown & Root International, Inc., Marine Technology and Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California at Berkeley, December (Dr. T.Xu, R. G. Bea)**
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- Risk Based Stability Criteria for Design of the Second Trunkline on the North West Shelf of Western Australia, Report to BRK Joint Venture and Woodside Offshore Petroleum Pty. Ltd., Perth, Western Australia, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, December (R. G. Bea).**
- Risk Based Oceanographic & Earthquake Load and Resistance Factor Criteria for Design and Requalification of Platforms Offshore Indonesia, Report to Indonesian Petroleum Association, Directorate General of Oil & Gas of Indonesia, and Bandung Institute of Technology, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, December (R. G. Bea).**
- Comparative Evaluation of Minimum Structures and Jackets, Stage II: Analysis of Human and Organizational Factors, Report to Joint Industry - Government Sponsored Project, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, December (R. G. Bea, Lt. R. Lawson).**
- SYRAS, System Risk Assessment Software, Version 1.0, , Report to Joint Industry - Government Sponsored Project, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, December (Lt. R. Lawson, R. G. Bea).**
- Reassessment of Tubular Joint Capacity, Screening Methodologies Project Phase IV, 38) Comparative Evaluation of Minimum Structures and Jackets, Stage II: Analysis of Human and Organizational Factors, Report to Joint Industry - Government Sponsored Project, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, January (Dr. T. Xu, R. G. Bea).**
- Loading and Capacity Characteristics of Pile Foundations: Correlation of Calculation Results with ULSLEA, Screening Methodologies Project Phase IV, Report to Joint Industry - Government Sponsored Project, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, January (Z. Jin, R. G. Bea).**
- Continued Development of Earthquake Load and Resistance Factor Design Guidelines, Report 1, Concrete Gravity Based Structures LRFD Guidelines, Report to Health and Safety Executive, Offshore Safety Division, Bootle, Merseyside, UK, Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, March (R. G. Bea).**
- Report #1B, Reliability Characteristics of the Pol A Compression Platform, Updated Platform Ultimate Limit State Limit Equilibrium (ULSLEA) and Reliability Analyses, Report to Petroleos Mexicanos, Instituto Mexicano del Petroleo, and Brown & Root International Inc., Marine Technology & Management Group, Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, April (Dr. T. Xu, R. G. Bea).**
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# **SCREENING METHODOLOGIES FOR USE IN OFFSHORE PLATFORM ASSESSMENT AND REQUALIFICATION**

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## **Project Objective:**

**Further develop and verify simplified quantitative screening methodologies for Level 2 platform assessments so these methodologies may be used in practice**

**Phase I: June 1993 to May 1995**

**Phase II: June 1995 to May 1996**

**Phase III: June 1996 to May 1997**

**Phase IV: June 1997 to June 1998**

**Phase IV EXTENSION:**

**July 1998 to December  
1998**

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## **PHASE IV PROJECT SPONSORS**

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**ARCO Exploration and Production  
Technology**

**Exxon Production Research Company**

**Mobil Technology Company**

**Shell Deepwater Development Company**

**Unocal Corporation**

**US Minerals Management Service**

**PEMEX/IMP**

**Chevron Petroleum Technology Company**

## **PHASE IV DELIVERABLES**

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**#1:**

**Documentation of TOPCAT program  
enhancements, comparisons,  
developments, evaluations, and  
verifications**

**#2:**

**Updating of TOPCAT user and  
modeling guide; updating of TOPCAT  
software**

**#3:**

**Three meetings**

## ULSLEA PHASE I

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- **Aero and hydrodynamic loadings ✓**
- **Unbraced deck legs capacity ✓**
- **Jacket capacity (legs, braces, joints) ✓**
- **Foundation capacity ✓**
- **Deterministic ULS analysis ✓**
- **Probabilistic ULS analysis ✓**
- **Damaged and grout-repaired members ✓**
- **Verification case studies (5) ✓**
- **ULSLEA program documentation ✓**
- **Meetings (2) ✓**

## ULSLEA PHASE II

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- Modeling enhancements ✓
- Code updating and enhancement ✓
- Preliminary design of braces ✓
- Jacket horizontal framing effects ✓
- Additional verifications (2) ✓
- Linear analysis comparisons ✓
- User - modeling guide ✓
- Reporting and documentation ✓
- Meetings (2) ✓



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## ULSLEA PHASE III

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- **Fatigue analysis algorithms ✓**
- **Earthquake analysis algorithms ✓**
- **Verifications of earthquake analysis (3) ✓**
- **Earthquake deck spectra ✓**
- **Additional configurations ✓**
- **Platform strength and robustness studies ✓**
- **Code updating ✓**
- **Reporting and documentation ✓**
- **Meetings (2) ✓**

## **TOPCAT PHASE IV**

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- **Platform Damage Studies (1 of 3) ✓**
- **Ductility-Level Earthquake Analysis ✓**
- **Diagonal Loads on Platforms**
- **Additional Configurations (2) ✓**
- **Tubular Joint Uncertainties ✓**
- **Platform Foundations ✓**
- **Improved Input / Output ✓**
- **Lifetime Reliability (Storms and Quakes)**
- **Wave Spatial Effects ✓**
- **Shallow Water Kinematics ✓**
- **Deck Elements**
- **Reporting and documentation ✓**
- **Meetings (2) ✓**

## **TOPCAT PHASE IV Extension**

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- **Ductility-Level Earthquake Analysis** ✓
- **Modification of Existing Modules** ✓
- **Improved Interface** ✓
- **Wave Spatial Effects Modification** ✓
- **Diagonal Loads on Platforms** ✓
- **Long-term Reliability Analysis (Storms)** ✓
- **Deck Elements Analysis** ✓
- **Wave Forces on Decks Verification** ✓
- **Shallow Water Kinematics Verification** ✓
- **Global Torsion Analysis**
- **Optimal Platform Configurations**
- **Reporting and Documentation**
- **Meetings (1)**

## **FROM 2-D Model To 3-D Model: New Version TOPCAT**

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**With spatial effects and diagonal loads counted in, with the incoming torsion research task, a 3-D TOPCAT model is in need.**

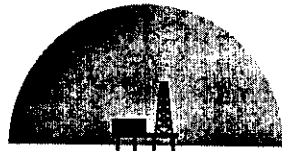
**Topics of Future Research / Enhancement:**

- 1.Update TOPCAT to Excel 97 Environments**
- 2.Revision of Data Structure in TOPCAT  
Excel Sheets, and Data Communication  
between Modules**
- 3.Transfer Complicated Subroutines into  
Standardized Independent Procedures**
- 4.Case Studies and Verifications**
- 5.Develop 3-D Representation of Platforms**
- 6.Distributed Loads and Global Torsion**
- 7.Optimal Platform Configurations**

## PHASE V: PLAN FOR NEXT 11 MONTHS

Task /GSR	1999		1999	
	1	6	7	12
Update to Excel 97 <i>Jin</i>	--X			
TOPCAT Data Structure <i>Jin</i>	-----X			
3-D Representation <i>Jin</i>	-----X			
Global Torsion <i>Jin</i>	-----X			
Optimal Platforms <i>Jin</i>			-----X	
Verification and Debugging <i>Jin</i>	-----X		-----X	
Updated Software <i>Jin</i>		X		X
Meetings		X		X

# EQ/DUCTILITY STUDIES



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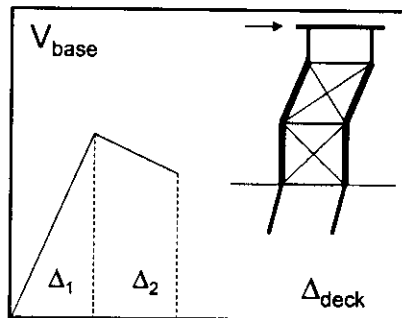
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- Simple Ductility Analysis
- EQ Response Factors
- EQ Case Studies
- Minor Enhancements
- Bug Fixes

by James D. Stear

## Simple Ductility Analysis

**Goal: Approximate Global  $\mu$**

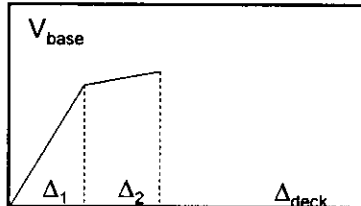


Global Load-Displacement

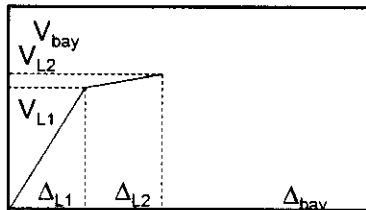
### Assumptions:

- Damage concentrates in mechanisms
- Limits established from structure, residual strength, drift

## Deck Mechanism

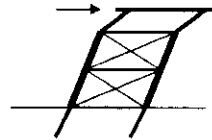


Global Load-Displacement



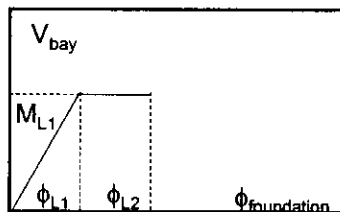
Deck Bay Load-Displacement

- > Local limit set by leg hinge ductility (2 or less)
- > Other components displace in proportion to load increase

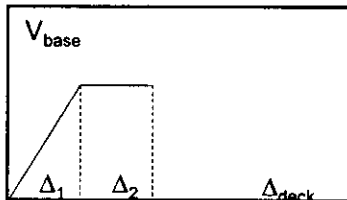


$$\Delta_{max} = \Delta_1 + \Delta_2 = \Delta_1(V_{L2}/V_{L1}) + \Delta_{L2} - \Delta_{L1}(V_{L2}/V_{L1})$$

## Foundation Mechanisms

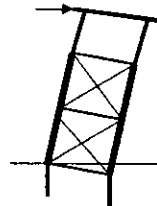


Found.  $\phi$  Load-Displacement



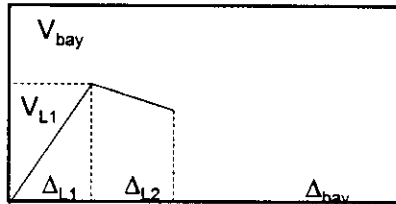
Global Load-Displacement

- > Lateral: limit on hinge ductility (2 or less)
- > Overturning: limit on local ductility (2) or global ductility

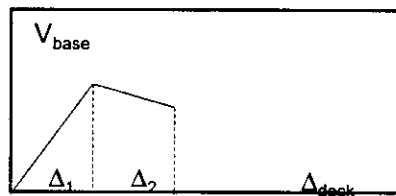


$$\Delta_{max} = \Delta_1 + \Delta_2 = \Delta_1 + H\phi_{L2}$$

## Jacket Mechanisms



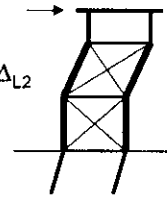
Jacket Bay Load-Displacement



Global Load-Displacement

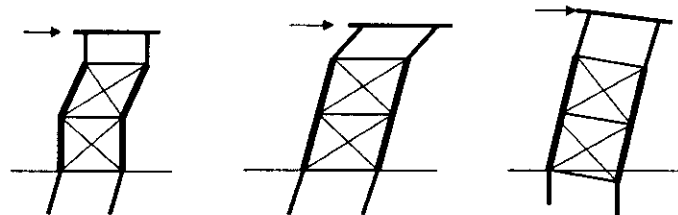
- Weak/strong mechanisms
- Approximate effects of minimum horizontals, K-braces
- Limit based on residual strength, bay drift

$$\Delta_{max} = \Delta_1 + \Delta_2 = \Delta_1 + \Delta_{L2}$$



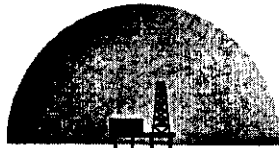
## Global Safety Limits

- 70% residual strength requirement
- Global  $\mu = 3$
- Drift in a foundation overturning mechanism = 1%





## Limitations

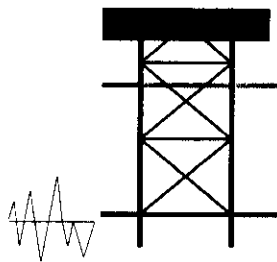


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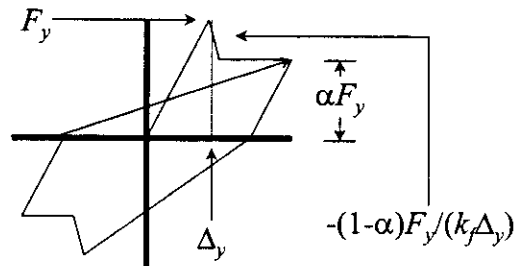
- Approach is very approximate, based on damage trends identified in static pushover analyses
- No rigorous tracking of member stresses, strains, load redistribution
- No torsion effects, behavior restricted to EO/BS only
- Procedure needs additional calibration

## EQ Response Factors



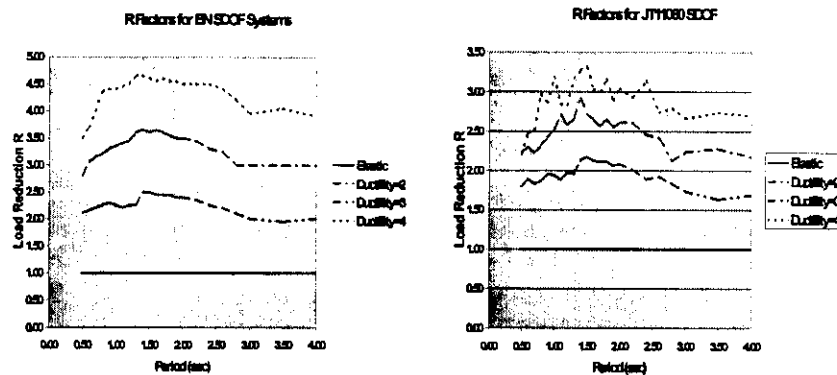
- Have developed load reduction/displacement factors for jacket-type, foundation-type mechanisms
- Have studied MDOF systems to compare with SDOF approximation

## Jacket-Type SDOF

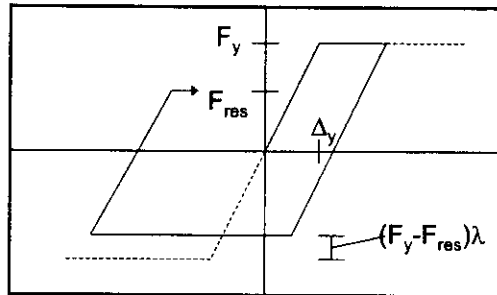


- Stiffness degrading (Clough)
- 80% and 60% residual ( $\alpha$ )
- Five negative stiffness factors ( $k_f$ ): 0.01, 1, 2, 3, 4
- Periods from 0.5 sec to 4.0 sec

## Jacket-Type, Bilinear (+3%)

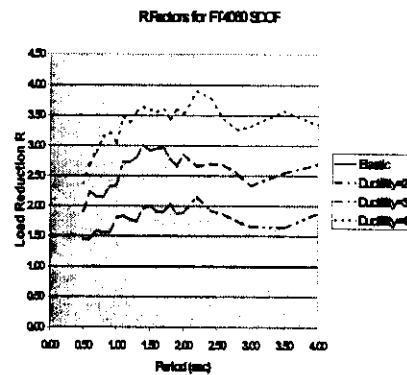
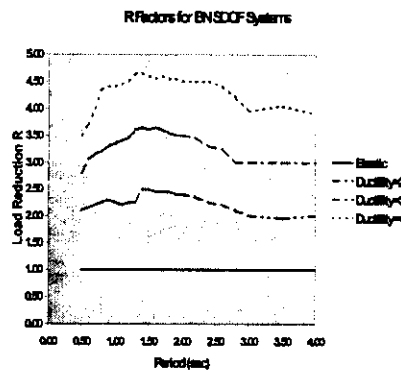


## Foundation-Type SDOF

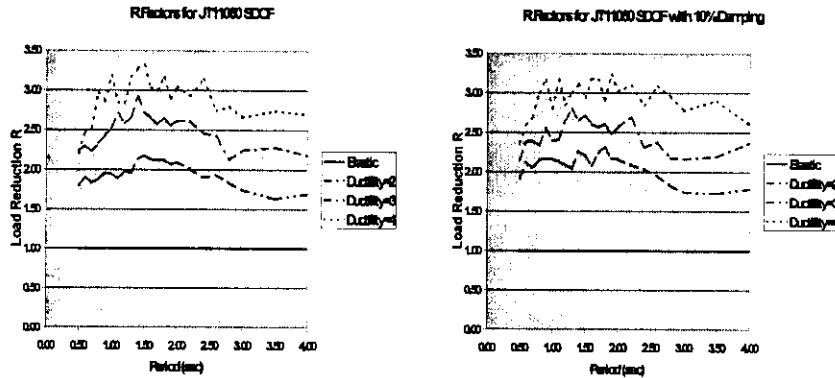


- Strength-degrading only (Matlock)
- 80% and 60% residual
- Two degradation rates: 0.2, 0.4
- Periods from 0.5 sec to 4.0 sec

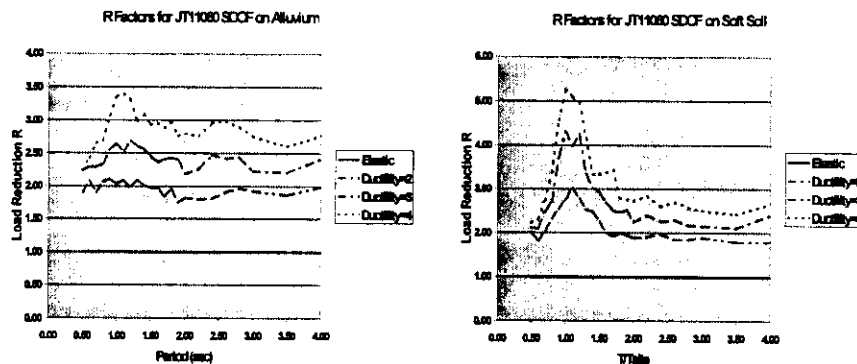
## Foundation-Type, BL (+3%)



## Damping 5% and 10%



## Medium Stiff, Soft Soils



## Correction Factor

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$$F_e = \alpha \mu$$

- Works well for JT, very conservative for FT
- Generally conservative over range from  $T = 1.0$  sec to 4.0 sec for JT systems
- Can overpredict load reduction by 20% in range from  $T = 0.5$  sec to 1.0 sec
- Needs to be adjusted for soft soil site conditions

## SDOF/MDOF Comparisons

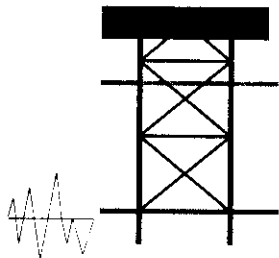
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$$F_\mu \text{ vs. } R$$

- MDOF JT, FT systems analyzed, with 1st mode mass participation from 90% to 60%
- For 60% to 70%, effective yield strength is lower than predicted from pushover analysis
- For 60% to 70%,  $F_\mu$  is higher, with more scatter
- Good between  $R$  and  $F_\mu$  agreement in range 80% to 90%



## EQ Case Studies

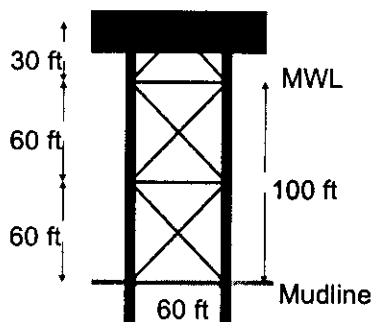


### GOALS:

- Evaluate simple ductility
- Assess use of factor-modified static analysis for judging earthquake performance



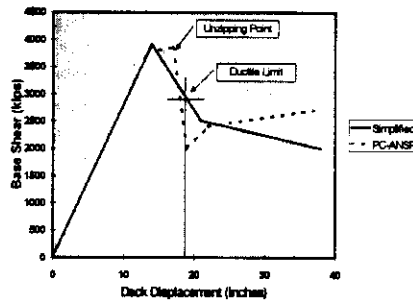
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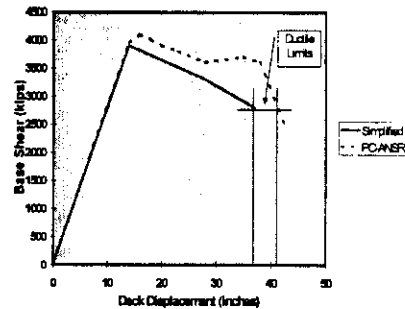
- 4 piles
- $T_1 = 1.5$  sec
- Founded on firm soils
- Strong and weak horizontal bracing

## Case Study 1

Weak Horizontals



Strong Horizontals



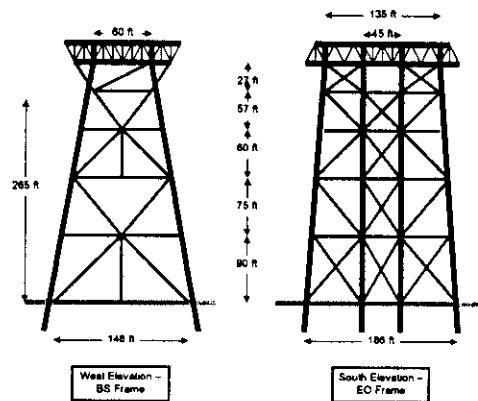
## Case Study 1

$$F_{\mu} \text{ vs. } R$$

A MDOF	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	COV	$F_{\mu}$ Global	$F_{\mu}$ Global COV
Weak	0.47	0.05	1.44	0.21
Strong	0.47	0.05	3.06	0.24

A SDOF	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	R Global
Weak	0.47	1.3
Strong	0.47	2.7-2.9

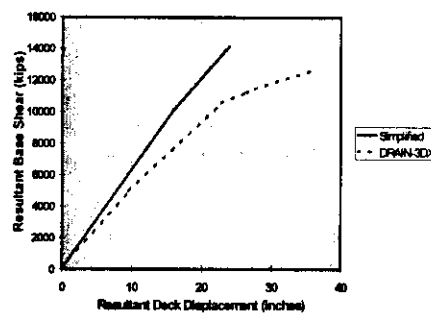
## Case Study 2



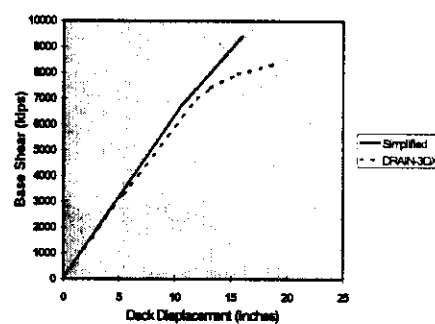
- 8 piles
- $T_1 = 2.84$  sec
- Founded on medium soils
- Supports 80 conductors

## Case Study 2

End-On



Broadside



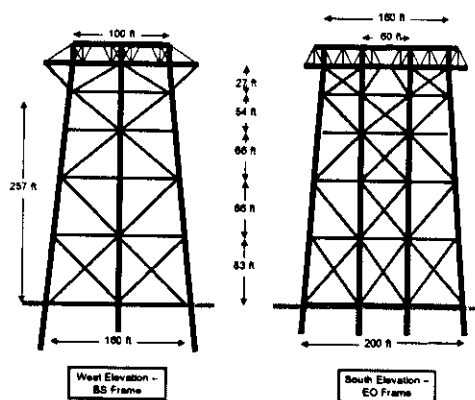


## Case Study 2

B	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	COV	$F_{\mu}$ Global	$F_{\mu}$ Global COV
MDOF	0.33	0.10	1.68	0.19

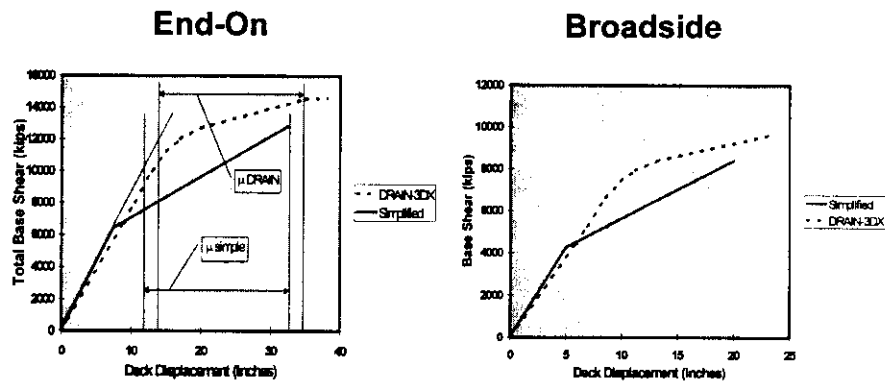
B	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	R Global
SDOF	0.29	1.5

## Case Study 3



- 12 piles
- $T_1 = 2.36$  sec
- Founded on medium soils

## Case Study 3

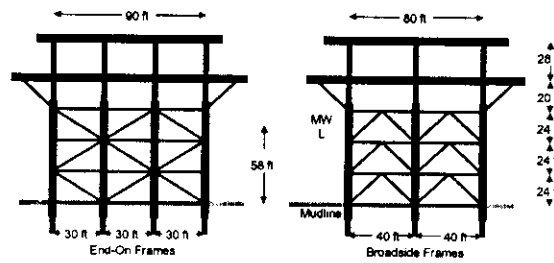


## Case Study 3

B	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	COV	$F_{\mu}$ Global	$F_{\mu}$ Global COV
MDOF	0.30	0.11	3.10	0.29

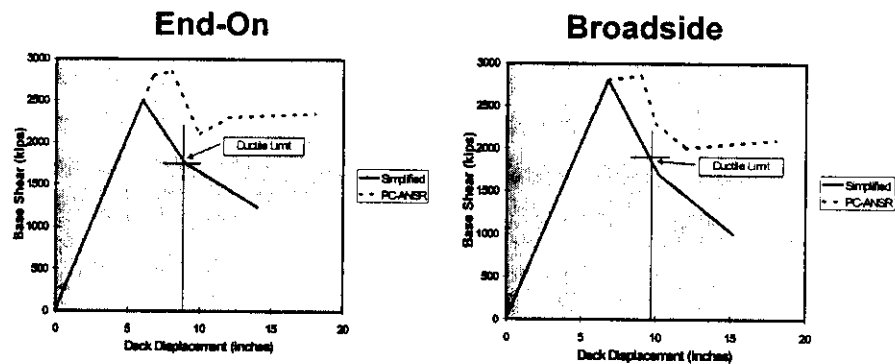
B	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	R Global
SDOF	0.25	2.7-3.0

## Case Study 4



- 12 piles
- $T_1 = 1.0$  sec
- Founded on medium soils

## Case Study 4

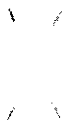




## Case Study 4

B	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	COV	$F_{\mu}$ Global	$F_{\mu}$ Global COV
MDOF	0.42	0.12	2.02	0.18

B	$S_{a-yield}$ (g)	R Global
SDOF	0.3-0.46	1.6-2.0



## Case Studies: Summary

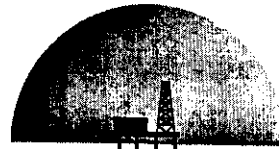
- Static approximation compares well with dynamic analysis when higher mode effects are small.
- Simple ductility approach provides reasonable ductility estimate; hysteresis curve is very approximate. Absence of solid link to local ductility makes calibration to local events difficult.





## Minor Enhancements

- ISO EQ Spectra
- Ductility-modified EQ response
- Lower-bounds for legs, piles
- Ultimate strength "search" in jacket bays



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## Bug Fixes

- Joint input
- Jacket leg input
- Jacket bending stiffness
- Soil updating of input files
- Soil output table



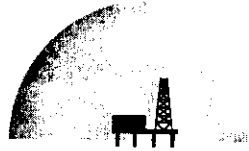
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## **1. Revision and Modification**

- **Interface**
- **Reliability and Sensitivity Modules**
- **Cnoidal Wave Kinematics Module**
- **Spatial Effects Module**



## **2. Diagonal Load Analysis**

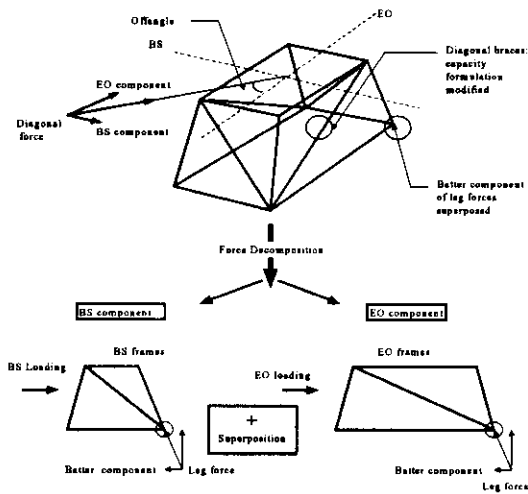
### **Assumption:**

- **Global diagonal load acting at the centroid**
- **Torque from spatial effect neglected**

### **Two main steps:**

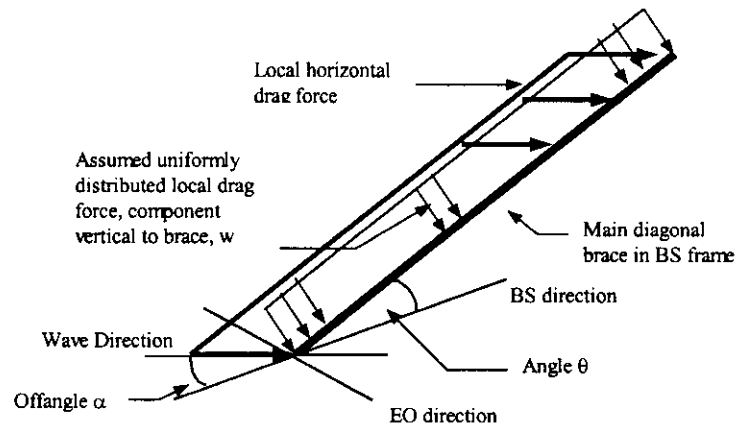
- **Decomposition and superposition at global level**
- **Detailed analysis at local level**

## Global Superposition and Decomposition



**BS, EO components**  
**BS and EO frames**  
**Batter components**  
**Pile Loads**

## Local Detailed Analysis







## Effects of $\alpha$ on local load and capacity

For braces in EO frame:

$$\alpha=90 \text{ degree, EO loading: } D_{eq} = D \cdot \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\alpha=0 \text{ degree, BS loading: } D_{eq} = D / \sin \theta$$

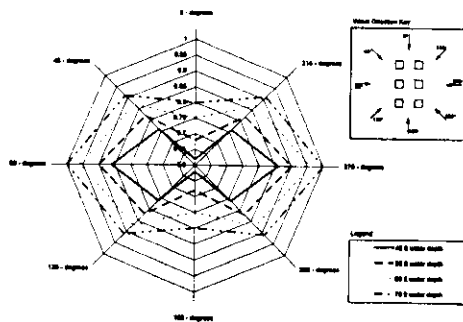
$$\text{any } \alpha, \text{ diagonal loading: } D_{eq} = D(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta \cdot \sin^2 \alpha)^{3/2} / \sin \theta$$

$$\text{For braces in BS frame: } D_{eq} = D(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta \cdot \cos^2 \alpha)^{3/2} / \sin \theta$$

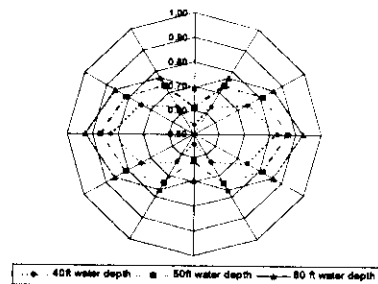
$$P_u = \frac{M_u}{8 \Delta_v \left( \frac{l}{1 + 2 \frac{\sin 0.5 \epsilon}{\sin \epsilon}} \right) \frac{l}{\epsilon^2} \left( \frac{l}{\cos \frac{\epsilon}{2}} - l \right)} - \frac{w l^2}{8 \Delta_v}$$



## Case Study 1: Loading, Exxon Multi Jackets

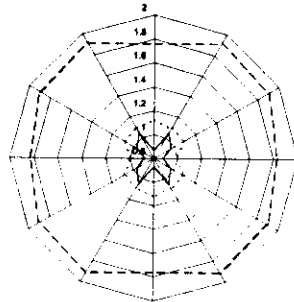


Diagonal wave loading reduction factor obtain by for the example platform



## Case Study 2: Capacity, SP62

Variation of Safety Indexes with respect to Offangles



	End-On	Broadside	60 Degrees	30 Degrees
Deck Bay	1.83	1.76	1.902	1.911
Jacket Bay 1	0.88	0.87	0.959	1.045
Jacket Bay 2	0.55	0.61	0.666	0.764
Jacket Bay 3	0.58	0.94	0.843	1.014
Jacket Bay 4	0.56	0.89	0.838	0.954
Jacket Bay 5	0.61	0.86	0.912	0.909
Jacket Bay 6	0.72	1.34	1.172	1.322
Foundation Lateral	0.99	1.12	1.092	1.088
Pile Compression	0.51	0.44	0.521	0.568
Pile Tension	1.04	0.93	0.897	0.963

--- Deck Bay --- Jacket Bay 1 --- Foundation Lateral

## 3. Long-term Reliability

### Basic Approaches:

$$P_{f,accumulative} = \int_0^{\infty} P_{f|H_w} \cdot p_{H_w} dH_w = \int_0^{\infty} P_{f|ARP} \cdot p_{ARP} dt$$

$$P_{f,accumulative} = \sum_{i=1}^{10000} P_{f|ARP} \cdot p_{ARP} \cdot \Delta t$$

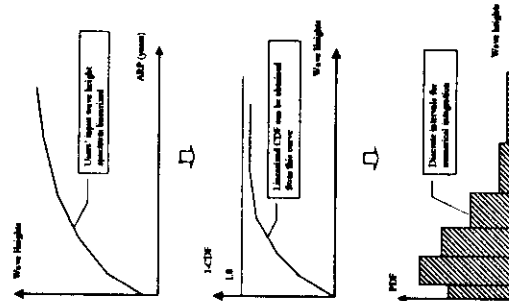
$$P_f = 0.475 \cdot \exp(-\beta^{1.6})$$

$$P_f = 1 - 0.475 \cdot \exp(-\beta^{1.6})$$



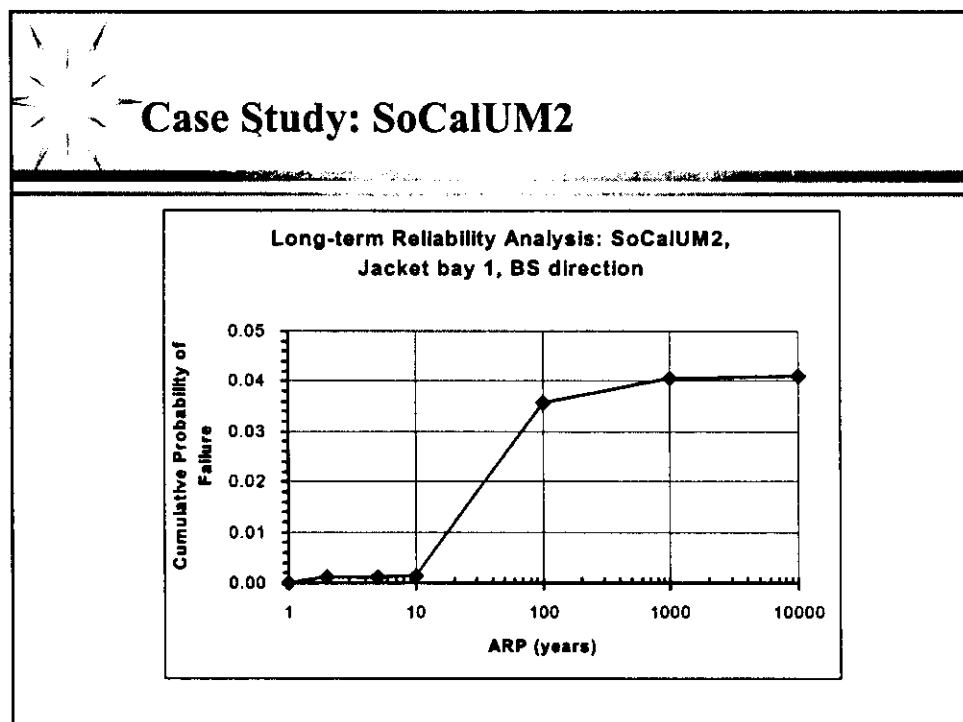
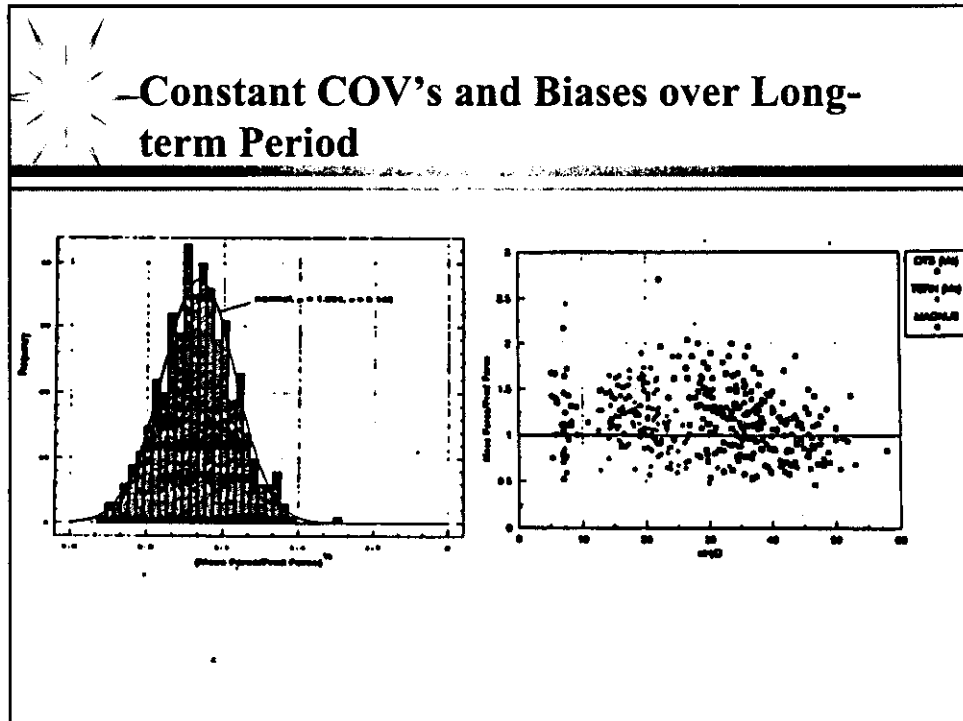
## Flowchart of the Analysis

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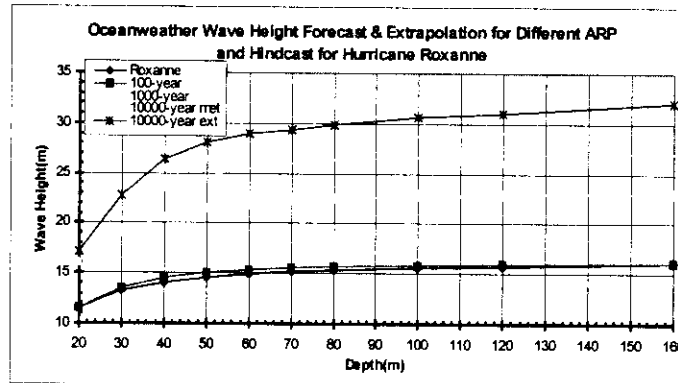
## Validity of the Linearization Procedure

ARP(year)	H(ft)	$P_n(\text{theoretical})$	$p_n(\text{linearized})$	$\Delta P_n(\text{approx})$	$P_n(\text{approx})$
1	25	0	0.0625	0	0
2	33	0.5	0.06	0.49	0.49
10	40	0.9	0.0375	0.34125	0.83125
20	45	0.95	0.0045	0.105	0.93625
100	60	0.99	0.00196	0.04845	0.9847
1000	70	0.999	0.00066	0.0131	0.9978
10000	75	0.9999	0.00018	0.0021	0.9999
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1	25	0	0.0625	0	0
2	33	0.5	0.057142857	0.47857143	0.478571429
5	39	0.8	0.04	0.29142857	0.77
10	43	0.9	0.01875	0.1175	0.8875
20	47	0.95	0.006	0.0495	0.937
100	58	0.99	0.003	0.0495	0.9865
200	62	0.995	0.000818182	0.00763636	0.994136364
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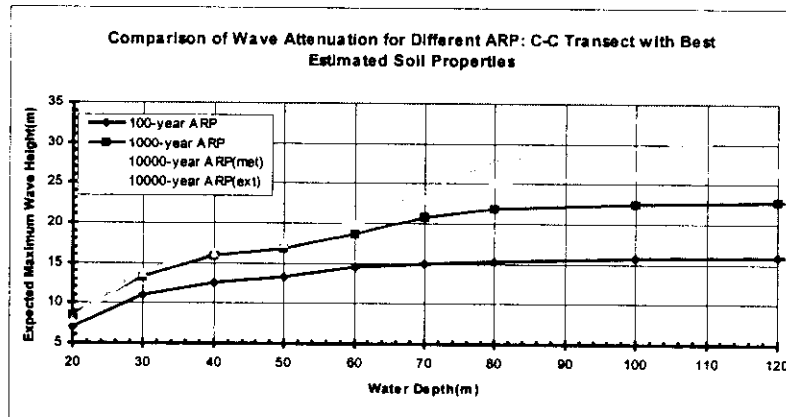


# 4. Truncated Wave Height Spectrum

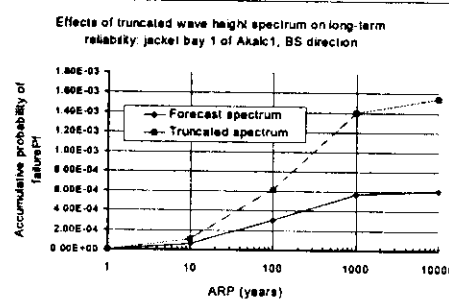
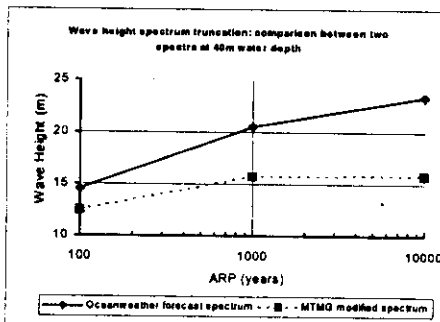
## Normal Wave Height Forecast in Bay of Campeche:



# A special truncated wave height spectrum due to soft sea bottom

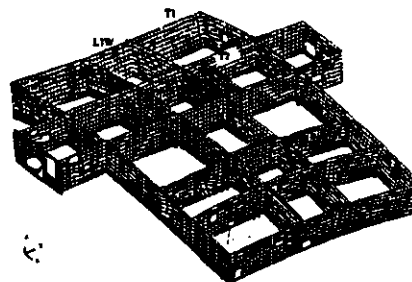
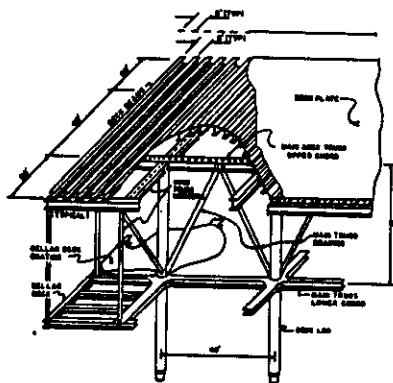


## Comparison of Wave Height Spectrum and Long-term Reliability

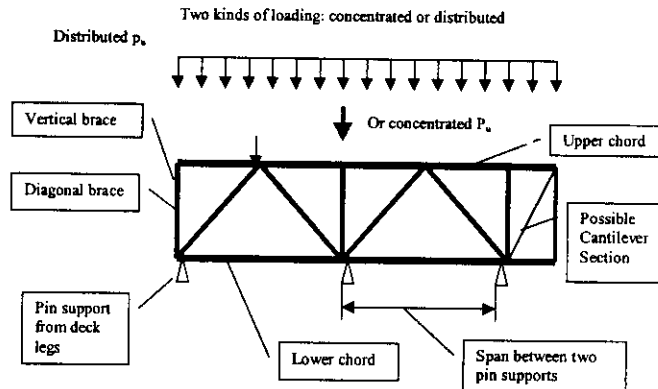


## 5. Deck Element Analysis

Two major kinds of platform deck structures:



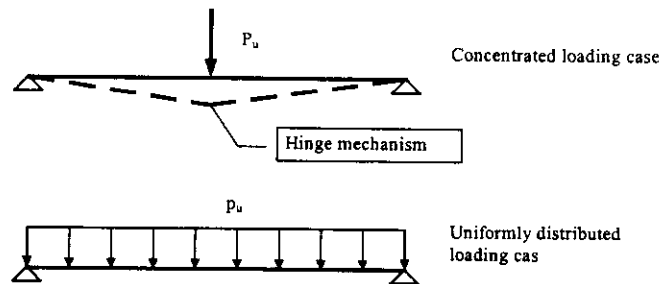
## Simplified Truss Deck Model



$$P_{u,i} = \sum_i \left( \frac{P_{u,MLTF}}{K_{MLTF}} \right) K_i$$

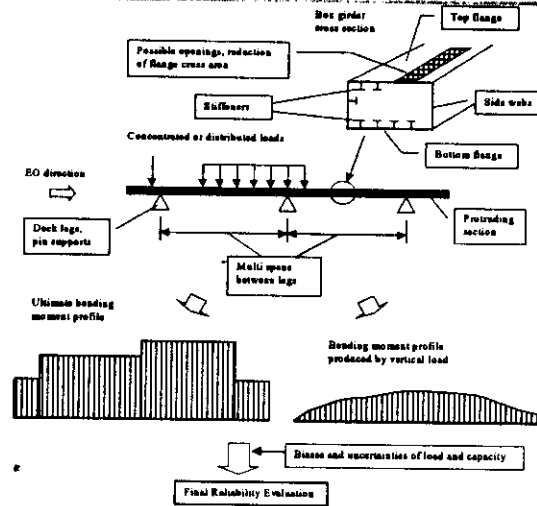
$$K_i = \frac{E_i A_i \cos^2 \theta}{L_i}$$

## Calibration of Strength of Chords

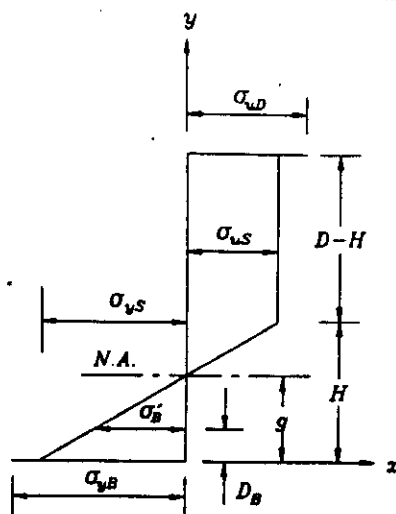


**First Case:  $P_u = 4 M_p / l$ ; Second Case:  $p_u = 8 M_p / l^2$**   
**For fixed end supports: ultimate loads doubled.**

## Simplified Box Girder Deck Model



## Determination of the Ultimate Bending Moment



$$M_w = -A_D(D-g)\sigma_{wD} - \frac{A_S}{D}(D-H)(D+H-2g)\sigma_{wS} - A_B g \sigma_{yB} - \frac{A_S}{3D}[(2H-3g)\sigma_{wS} - (H-3g)\sigma_{yS}]$$

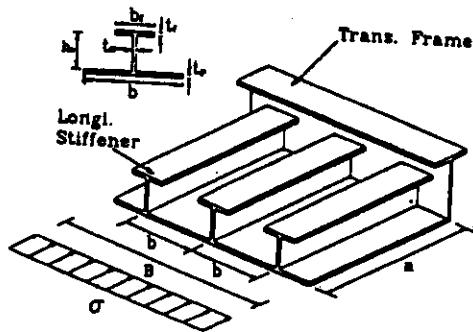
$$H = \frac{C_1 D + \sqrt{C_1^2 D^2}}{2}$$

$$C_1 = \frac{A_D \sigma_{wD} + 2A_S \sigma_{wS} - A_B \sigma_{yB}}{A_S(\sigma_{wS} + \sigma_{yS})}$$

$$g = \frac{(C_1 D + \sqrt{C_1^2 D^2}) \sigma_{yS}}{2(\sigma_{wS} + \sigma_{yS})}$$



## Determination of Ultimate Compression Strength of Stiffened Plates



$$\sigma_u/\sigma_0 = (0.995 + 0.936\lambda^2 + 0.170\beta^2 + 0.188\lambda^2\beta^2 - 0.067\lambda^4)^{-0.5}$$

$$\sigma_0 = \frac{bt_p\sigma_{OP} + A_{st}\sigma_{OS}}{bt_p + A_{st}}$$

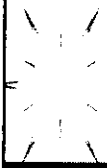
$$\beta = b/t_p \cdot \sqrt{\sigma_0/E}$$

$$\lambda = a/(\pi r) \cdot \sqrt{\sigma_0/E}$$

$$r = \sqrt{I/A}$$

## 6. Future Developments

- > Update TOPCAT to Excel 97 Environments
- > Revision of Data Structure in TOPCAT Excel Sheets, and Data Communication between Modules
- > Transfer Complicated Subroutines into Standardized Independent Procedures
- > Develop 3-D Representation of Platforms
- > Case Study and Verification
- > Distributed Loads and Global Torsion
- > Optimal Platform Configurations



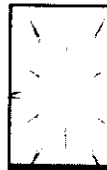
# Analysis of Wave-in-Deck Forces

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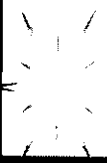
## Purpose of Study

- Evaluate TOPCAT calculated deck forces
- Compare with results from:
  - Model testing
  - Chevron method
  - API recommended practice
- Propose changes to TOPCAT procedure



## -South Timbalier 134D

- Water Depth 141 ft
- Main deck elevation 180 ft
- Tests done on 1:28 scale model



## -Load Cases

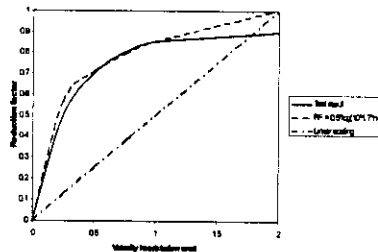
- Waves ranging from 28.5 to 48 ft
- Wave period 15.5 sec
- Two directions:
  - Broadside
  - End-on
- 45° heading not considered because of limitations in TOPCAT

## -Deck Force Procedures

Method	Drag Coefficient	Inundated Area	Directional Spreading Factor	Crest Velocity
Chevron	Based on empirical data from tests. Different values for broadside and end-on loading. Range of 0.6 - 1.0	Detailed space frame model. All areas normal to wave included. Crest height multiplied by 1.07.	0.95 for winter storms. 0.88 for hurricanes	Stream function theory
API	Based on density of deck equipment. No difference for broadside and end-on loading. Range of 1.6 - 2.5.	Silhouette area. Leg area not included below cellar deck.	1.0 for winter storms. 0.88 for hurricanes.	Wave theory
TOPCAT	Average of value for inundated area. Value of 1 for circular surfaces, 2 for flat surfaces. Scaling down to two velocity heads below the crest	Projected area of equipment. Structure area recognizes individual members based on distance between members. Run-up zone equal to one velocity head included	0.95 for winter storms. 0.88 for hurricanes.	Wave theory. Stokes 5 <sup>th</sup> order for deep water and Cnoidal theory for shallow water.

## -TOPCAT Modifications

- Run-up zone added
- Scaling of drag coefficient
  - Originally linear scaling
  - Logarithmic scaling found





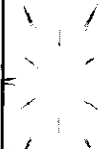
## Chevron Results

- Mean biases from 1.002 to 1.08
- COV's from 31.6 to 36.4 %
- Overall very good results
- How good will results be for other structures?



## API Results

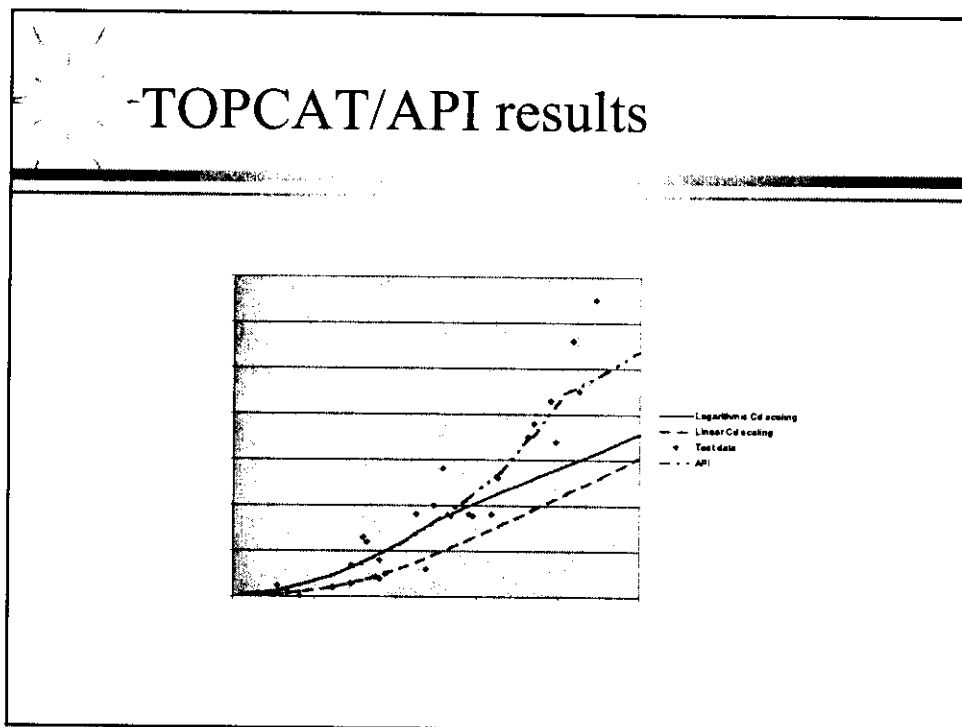
- Biases from 0.977 to 2.058
- COV's from 47.9 to 92.3 %
- Broadside results are good
- End-on results not very good

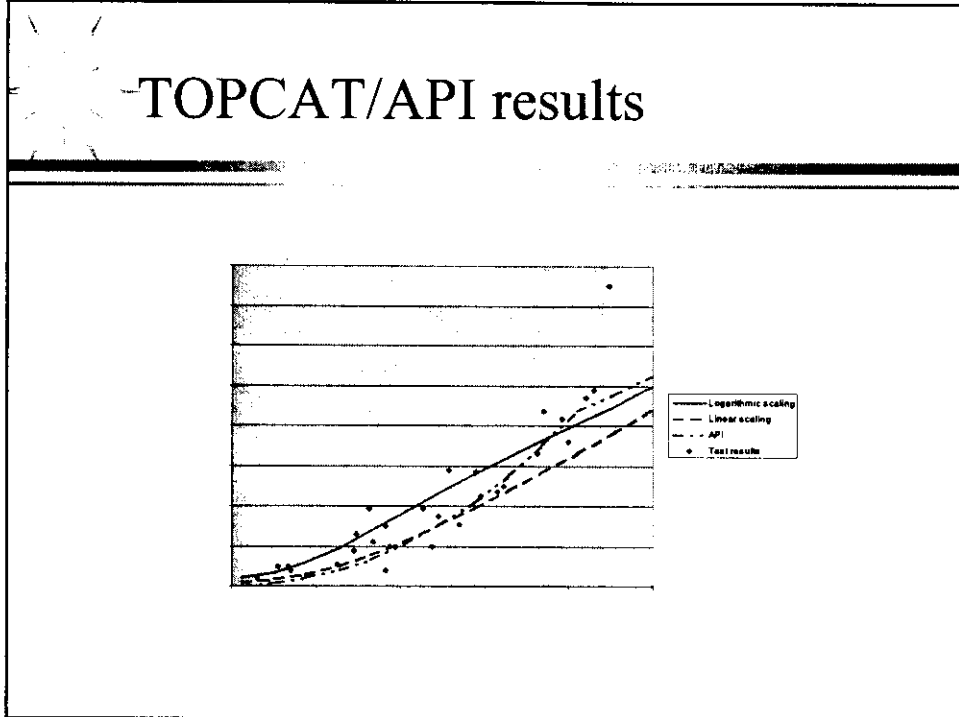


## -TOPCAT Results

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- Results using linear scaling of drag coefficient not very good
- Better results using modified scaling
  - Biases from 0.824 to 1.31
  - COV's from 22.2 to 52.2

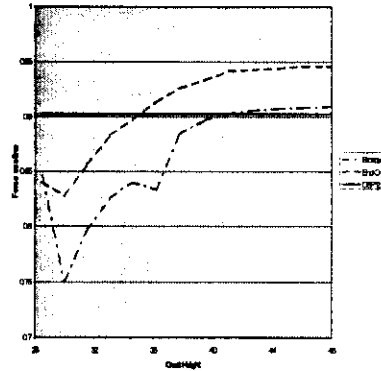




- ## Deck-by-deck evaluation
- Big differences in results for the various decks
  - Underestimation of forces for highest waves
  - Scaffold deck case might indicate that test results are too sparse

## Effect of DSF

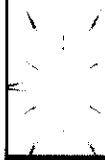
- Effect of Directional Spreading Factor and drag coefficient combined
- Varies a lot from the simple  $DSF^2$



## Summary of results

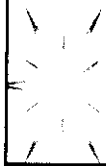
- Good Chevron results (as expected)
- API results good for broadside loading, not so good for end-on loading
- TOPCAT with modified  $C_d$ -scaling better than API





## Conclusions

- TOPCAT method simple
- Not expected to give as good results as Chevron method
- A little more effort leading to better results from API to TOPCAT
- Other structures should be investigated in order to verify results




## -Wave Forces on a Pile

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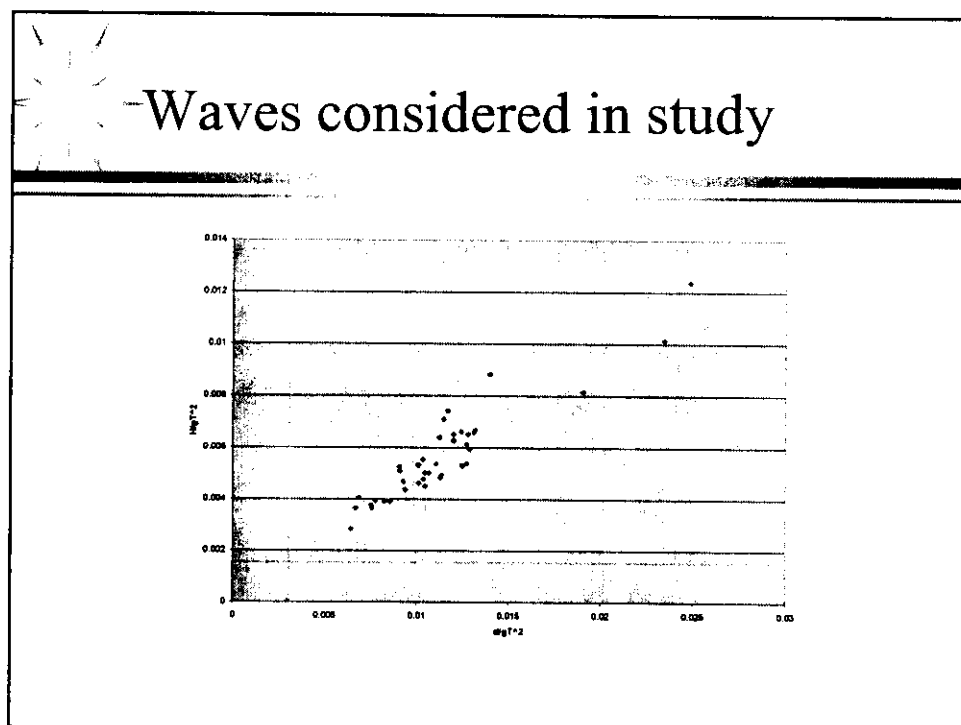
## -Purpose and Study

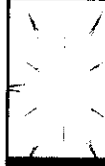
- Evaluate shallow water force procedures
- No shallow water waves in report
- Stokes 5th order theory used



## -Waves used in study

- Wave height 13.8 to 21.5 ft
- Wave period 6.4 to 12.8 sec
- Water depth 31.2 to 34.9 ft





## Results of study

- Mean bias 1.16
- COV 0.69
- Biases fit lognormal distribution well